

I have been on the state's no call list for a year or more now and my time at home has been highly improved by the fact that the phone rings far less. It no longer rings during dinner only to be greeted by some person wanting to sell me something that I don't want or need. I am sickened by the thought that somewhere within MY government someone thinks so little of my privacy as to allow telemarketers to call at will. And, that I pay for MY phone service which should entitle me to phone use when it is important to me or when I want. Not at the whim of some telemarketer. My phone should be there for me, not to annoy me. My only other choice is to not have a phone. I propose that if the telemarketers can call when they want as allowed by some bureaucratic dimwits, then everyone should just give up their phone for a month or two and see how the phone industry scrambles to cover their bottom line. Then we would see these same wishy washy bureaucrats doing the pendulum swing to placate the phone companies and mandate that the will of the people be heard. After all, bureaucratic dimwits don't have the backbone to stand up for what's right the first time around, now do they.